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• You're the **KING**, I'm a **SERVANT**, Nabal's a **FOOL**.
IT SETS UP THE NARRATIVE • THE STORIES WE TELL OURSELVES MATTER!

• Your better future has already been **DECIDED**.
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• Your better future depends on **EACH MOMENT**.
29 • STONES AND A SLING!!

• God has been and will be **YOUR ADVOCATE**.
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The wise live out a **STORY** of God's **GOODNESS**.

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ARE YOU WILLING TO TRUST GOD IN THIS? • WHEN THIS IS YOUR STORY, WHAT STORY DO YOU WANT? • 32-44

The Story, Tested (1 Samuel 26)

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When this moment is my story, what story do I want to tell?

Take It Home

I'D LIKE TO TALK ABOUT THE FOOLISHNESS OF THE MEN AND THE WISDOM OF THE WOMAN
MEN, IF YOU HAVE AN ABIGAIL, RISE TO THE MOMENT • WOMEN, IF YOU HAVE A FOOL, I'LL PRAY FOR YOU!

When you meet a fool, you'll be tempted to respond like a fool,
but God is crafting a **BETTER STORY** for your life.



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